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SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 24, 1886.

There is a fragrance of apple-blossoms in the air today, and this is something to be thankful for.

There is a real improvement in business. People who have money are beginning to feel that it is safe to spend some of it.

Some of the great Irish landlords do not get enough rent from their estates to pay their personal expenses. They ought to sell out at low rates.

Purchases of goods are beginning to pay cash down for their supplies. Such a way of doing things should be cultivated. It is better for the buyer as well as for the seller.

A gentleman related in our hearing a conversation he had with the driver of a teaming car, in Ireland. "The absences," said Pat, "make all the trouble in Ireland. The country is full of them."

Our city fathers would do well to ponder long and soberly over the problems involved in paving our streets. They should take a great deal of pains to find out what kind of a pavement is enough better than a street made of broken stone and gravel, to warrant the increased cost. There is more than found with the granite, border, wood, or asphalt pavements in the large cities than is found with even the editors of preachers.

The papers complained of Jo Pulitzer, of the New York *World*, because he was out of congress, and now they complain because he is in congress and doesn't get out. But he was, in fact, never in enough to get out; and he did more good out than he could have done if he had been in, which is true of several congressmen, while there are several others who do no good, out or in. The only real cause of complaint is that a vacancy is not made so that some other fellow can get in.

A Conservative lady in London, who is stoutly opposed to Gladstone on general principles, and who strongly disapproves of the program concerning Ireland he is now advocating, writes to a friend here of his great speech in the house of commons as "wonderful, showing even more than his usual energy and fire. His strength was remarkable. He went in an open carriage from Downing street to the house, with a hat off, in a pouring rain." The same lady writes further: "The country is bound to rouse itself. Every day more and more of the staunch Liberals leave the party, and even Scotland begins to lose faith in its idol."

Joseph D. Weeks, special agent of the census bureau, has given advance sheets of his official annual report to the press. There were, he says, six strikes during the year, 1885, of which were successful, and of those arising as to the advance of wages many more were successful than the other classes of strikes. The report concludes as follows:

As to wages lost, it appears that 64,770 employees lost \$32,116. This would be at the rate of \$5 each. All the entire number of employments on this average would be \$300,000 on this average would be \$300,000, which would have been received had the works not been closed. In this case, the strikes were successful, the additional wages won in other cases, where unionism existed in the trades in which these workers strike, were not so great as to offset the loss of wages. The strike benefits were in most cases really repaid. The miners, who are the partisans of secured employment in other industries, and whose actual loss was not so great as they thought what they did earn in presumably less profitable employment.

The Local Situation.

The GLOBE-REPUBLIC is edited and published in behalf of the interests of the community in which it is printed. It is hostile to no institution or human element in it that is not vicious or criminal. It is not the partisan of any one honest, wholesome class against another, but is friendly to all decent and useful elements. It is the purpose of its managers to promote peace, art, harmony, and co-operation, in behalf of the common safety and prosperity of the citizens.

What is most needed here is an intelligent and thorough knowledge of the various elements of the situation; a catholic, charitable, and non-partisan consideration of pending problems, and a return to the normal, everyday condition of things, in which the wheels of industry shall move without obstruction or restriction and trade shall revive and flourish.

To promote this state of things is our fixed purpose and we shall not allow ourselves to be diverted from methods deemed by us to be best adapted to accomplish it. The GLOBE-REPUBLIC does not need to assert that for the thirty or more years of its existence in this city, from the time when it was first known as the *Irish National* to this day, it has been the consistent advocate of peace, moral and good order; the staunch advocate of its industrial and mercantile institutions; the true and faithful friend of the masses of the people, which masses are almost wholly working men and women. We propose to fight it out on this line.

Our cause is the truth and the people, upon whom—upon precept—upon precept, should prove to be "steeplets"; are needed as warm weather approaches. The aeration of life, on the person, in houses, in gardens and grounds, and in streets and alleys, assuredly and conspicuously invites pestilence! This is the plain, solemn truth.

But more than this is the truth also.

namely, that accumulated filth promotes the growth and spread of ordinary and common diseases; indeed, of most kinds of diseases. Cleanliness, like godliness, promotes not only happiness but good health. A clean city will be a healthy city. It will have no outlet spots in which disease, common and ordinary, or epidemic, can find a place to nestle and feed.

Our sanitary marshals are now our most important officials, unless we make an exception of the officials who sustain and stimulate them in the discharge of their duties.

Cleanliness is a fortress that has seldom been captured by either of small-pox. They do not like it and they avoid it, usually.

And if we may be permitted to drop into esthetics, we will here and now say that so beautified a city as Springfield should be kept clean, so that her beauty can be seen.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Labor troubles at St. Louis do not seem to be subsiding.

The work of erecting the new Cincinnati chamber of commerce building will soon begin.

Charles Morris is held, without bail, at Xenia, for the murder of Mr. and Mrs. Doethel.

Friederich Hiltner, his wife, and two little children, comprising a fishing party, were drowned at Del Norte, O.

The Lake Shore switchmen's strike at Chicago is ended, the company having made a satisfactory arrangement with the men.

The warm weather is having its effect on the Ohio legislature, and members are thinking of closing up business and going home soon.

The 4,000 veterans at Dayton Soldiers' Home will participate in the Eastern breakfast, including the ball of taxation of fraternal lodges, 1,000 dinner eggs, 200 gallons of coffee and other things.

BEST BAIT. — At Cincinnati, Monday evening, the 13th, Pittsburg 5, Toledo 2, Louisville 2, Indianapolis 2, and Kansas City 2, the 14th. Brooklyn 2, Baltimore 3, at Philadelphia, 2, Boston 2, Rochester 2, Alton 2, Detroit 2, Newark 2.

At St. Louis, Martin Morris and A. C. Conigliano, prominent Knights of Labor Committee men George M. Jackson and S. N. Nichols were indicted for tampering with telegraph wires. Messrs. McGarry, Burdett and Chase and three other railroad men, obstructing the Missouri Pacific railroad.

Frederick Turner, general secretary and treasurer of the Knights of Labor, appeared before the house select committee on labor difficulties in the southwest Friday. He stated at great length the difficulties between God and Poverty, and positively denies that the strike was present.

Special telegram to Bradstreet's from leading trade centers shows moderate gains in the movement of general merchandise at Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Detroit, Memphis, Peoria, St. Louis, St. Joseph, Kansas City and St. Paul. The movement of property relatively is at Kansas City, Detroit and Cincinnati. The largest movement of products is eastward via the lakes, including nearly 7,000,000 bushels of wheat and half as much corn. At Eastern centers there is a decided increase in the exportation of coal.

Representative Outwater and other members of the special committee investigating the labor troubles in the west and south will leave for St. Louis on Monday afternoon.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—SENATE.—The Senate stands adjourned until Monday afternoon. Governor Foraker sent the following appointments as members of the new state board of health under the Senate bill to the senate: B. J. Sharp, of Madison County; for the term ending December 13, 1892; T. C. Howser, of Franklin County, for the term ending December 13, 1891; D. H. Beckwith, of Cuyahoga county, for the term ending December 13, 1890; J. D. Simms, of Wayne County, for the term ending December 13, 1889; T. C. Howser, of Franklin County, for the term ending December 13, 1888; W. H. Cretcher, of Logan county, for the term ending December 13, 1887; J. C. Miller, of Belmont county, for the term ending December 13, 1886; W. H. Cretcher, of Belmont county, for the term ending December 13, 1885; J. C. Miller, of Belmont county, for the term ending December 13, 1884; W. H. Cretcher, of Belmont county, for the term ending December 13, 1883; J. C. 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